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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 28, 2002, ("the Office Action") please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. The present amendments are being submitted in a revised format as set forth in the proposed revisions to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, to be adopted by July of 2003. See, pre-OG Notices, "Amendments in a Revised Format Now Permitted (signed 1/31/03)."

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